



PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors.

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chatter About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

Mr. A. I. Claar of Queen was in Bedford Tuesday morning.

Mr. Ross A. Lysinger spent Sunday and Monday in Altoona.

Jeweler James E. Cleaver and wife spent Sunday in Cumberland.

Mr. H. T. Foster spent several days in Washington, D. C., this week.

Mr. H. L. Hull of Springhouse was a caller at the Gazette office yesterday.

Miss Hattie Arnold is spending the week with relatives and friends in Johnstown.

Mr. Albert Reip of Osterburg was a pleasant caller at the Gazette office on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. McClellan and little son were recent visitors in Friend's Cove.

Managing Editor John M. Bain of the Huntingdon Daily New Era spent Sunday in Bedford.

H. C. James, Esq., spent several days last week in Cumberland on professional business.

D. C. Kelley, Esq., Messrs. F. E. Grazier and Milton Enfield spent Sunday at Blue Knob.

Landlord Thomas Eichelberger of the Union Hotel, Everett, was a Bedford visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. John Brightbill and Miss Margaret Brightbill spent several days this week in Cumberland.

Mrs. Nancy O'Neal left yesterday for Trimble, O., where she will spend the winter with her sisters.

Mrs. Mary E. Smouse of Ocean City, N. J., is visiting relatives and friends in and around Bedford.

Mrs. B. W. Peck of McConnellsburg visited at the home of Mrs. S. F. Stiver of South Richard Street this week.

Mr. Charles C. Brightbill left for Philadelphia on Tuesday where he will enter a school of instruction in automobile driving.

Miss Elizabeth Bailey of Tyrone spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Rissler, of South Richard Street.

Rev. C. W. Warlick of Martinsburg, former pastor of the Reformed Church at Mann's Choice, was a caller at the Gazette office yesterday.

Mr. Fred Smith of Johnstown, formerly of this place, is calling on friends here this week. He is now employed by Porch Brothers, piano dealers.

Mrs. Dr. George Conrad of Johnstown spent a few days in Bedford this week as the guest of her nieces, Misses Nellie and Ruth Ritchey, of South Juliana Street.

Mrs. Walter Arnold and two children left on Monday for Palm Beach, Fla., where they will spend the winter. Mr. Arnold is employed by Mr. H. E. Bemis at that place.

Messrs. George A. Rush of Wilkes-Barre, R. H. Farrell of Elkins, W. Va., and Ambrose McMullin of Hazelwood are here attending the funeral of their aunt, Miss Helena A. Rush.

Mrs. J. H. Hafer of Bedford, Pa., who spent the past month at the "Lorne," left today for Los Angeles to remain for some time before returning to her home in the east.—Oakland (Cal.) Tribune, December 1.

Mr. E. H. Blackburn of Bedford and Mr. Walter S. Madore of Hyndman are among the representatives from Masonic Lodges in Bedford County to the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, which convened in Philadelphia this week.

On Wednesday the Associates met and appointed Dr. Walter M. Hill, B. F. Madore, Esq., and E. B. Bowen, a commission to inquire into the alleged insanity of Mary Mills of Monroe Township.

In the estate of Joseph C. Diehl, late of Bedford Borough, deceased, John Line and Harvey Davidson were appointed appraisers to set aside \$300 of personal property to the widow, Ethel M. Diehl.

The report of A. L. Towell, Eliza McElfish and Thaddeus Blair, who had been appointed inspectors of the county bridge over Elk Creek in Southampton Township, finding that the same had been completed in a substantial and workmanlike manner according to contract, was filed and approved.

The name of Anna Leydig, who had been declared a lunatic on the 23rd of November, was changed to Annie Leydig, so as to correspond with her name as entered upon the pension roll.

Ada Belle McGarvey was granted an alias subpoena in divorce against her husband, James A. McGarvey.

Marriage Licenses

Francis B. Ickes and Lulu Irene Lehman, both of Wolfburg.

Lloyd Dilling and Jennie Hollinger, both of Woodbury.

Chester Samuel Clark and Bertha Irene Wilson, both of Colerain Township.

Elias Franklin Diehl and Nettie Viola Kegg, both of Colerain Township.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Will be Held in Bedford High School Building December 19-23.

The program for the fifty-sixth annual Teachers' Institute to be held in the High School building, Bedford, December 19-23, 1910, is before the public. This is one of the real entertaining weeks of the year for all people interested in education in the county. All people are invited to attend its sessions and glean whatever they can from the discussions for their own and others' benefit. The day instructors are of high merit and deserve the keenest attention and the best attendance that can be given them.

Mr. C. H. Gordinier, Shippensburg, Pa., has been with us before and there is little use to say that he merits a return to us with an entire new program equally interesting and instructive as the one rendered when he was here before. He will also speak to the directors.

Mr. Edward F. Bigelow, South Beach, Conn., is a naturalist of the highest class. He is editor and proprietor of "The Guide to Nature," one of the best nature magazines in the country. Mr. Bigelow is a naturalist. He gets his knowledge from the very thing itself. He has the largest apiary in the world and his laboratory is the best known. He has animals of all kinds which he studies to learn their habits and physiology and anatomy. Without any doubt farmers would receive a great benefit from these talks.

Dr. Ira Woods Howarth, Chicago, Ill., is a leading educator in the West and is at present holding the Chair of Sociology in the University of Chicago. He comes very highly recommended to us. He was engaged some years ago by Professor Wright but met with an accident and could not fill his appointment. He is a forceful speaker and a man who knows his subject. He has filled many return dates in institutes of Pennsylvania and we think that the sociological side of education will be appreciated by his auditors.

Mr. Thomas L. Gibson, Baltimore, Md., formerly Superintendent of Cambria County schools, has been here before and the majority of the teachers know the leadership of this skillful musician. He has the reputation of being one of the best leaders of choruses in the country. His call to his present position is sufficient recommendation.

The institute will open at 9 o'clock in the morning and at 2 o'clock each afternoon. Each evening the doors will open at 7:45. The famous Bedford Orchestra will furnish the music as in other years.

Teachers may be not required to enroll on Saturday, December 10, in the office of the Superintendent. Remember that it is not compulsory to enroll on the tenth. It is left to your own discretion. The only difference in enrolling on the tenth and any other day is that after the tenth the chart will be open for everybody. Saturday, December 10, is teachers' day exclusively.

Hope to have a record breaking attendance and a splendid patronage from the public, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

Victor E. P. Barkman,

County Superintendent.

Bedford, Pa., December 8, 1910.

FRUIT GROWERS' IN SESSION

The Fourth Annual Convention is Being Well Attended.

The fourth annual convention of the Bedford County Fruit Growers' Association convened in the Court House yesterday afternoon. The last session of the meeting will close this evening. At the opening session the attendance was very good, and the display of fruit, especially apples, is the best that has ever been shown in the county. The display is large and varieties of all kinds are exhibited. This alone should be sufficient inducement for the people to attend the meeting.

A complete report of the proceedings of the convention will be published by The Gazette next week.

Salaries Are Raised

Official announcement of the 1910 census gave Somerset County a population of 87,614, as against 49,461 in 1900. The law provides in counties having a population of more than 50,000 and less than 75,000 the salary of the County Commissioners is raised from \$1,000 to \$1,200; District Attorneys, from \$1,000 to \$1,500; Directors of the Poor, from \$300 to \$400. These advances however will not apply to those now serving as county officials.

Deaths Recorded

Annie J. Ritchey to J. E. Thropp, tract in West Providence Township; \$10.

Josiah R. Ritchey et ux to Daniel P. England, three tracts in Snake Spring Township; \$2,700.

Harrison B. Coder to Charlotte Clair, one acre and 35 perches in Kimmell Township; \$1,200.

Death of Well Known Surgeon

Dr. John C. Da Costa, the well-known surgeon, died at his residence in Philadelphia Tuesday afternoon. He was 76 years old. Dr. Da Costa was a graduate of Jefferson Medical College and ranked among the great surgeons of the country. At the time of his death he was emeritus gynecologist at Jefferson College, chief gynecologist at St. Agnes Hospital and President of the Philadelphia Obstetrical Society. He was a member of many medical societies throughout the country. Dr. Da Costa was well known here.

ANNUAL MESSAGE

Was Sent to Both Branches of Congress Tuesday

BY PRESIDENT TAFT

Deals With Panama Canal, Postal Savings Bank, Parcels Post and Conservation.

President Taft submitted his annual message to both House of Congress Tuesday. The paper is voluminous and deals with all branches of the government. The principal features of the message are as follows: It is time to stop legislating with reference to regulation or corporations and to witness the effect of a vigorous execution of the laws already on the statute books.

The activities of the Government should be directed toward economy of administration, the enlargement of opportunities for foreign trade, the building up of home industry, and the strengthening of confidence of capital in domestic investment.

Some form of ship subsidy to increase American shipping, especially to South America.

No tariff legislation will be recommended until the new Congress convenes in December, 1911. He urges that the tariff board be made permanent and that all future revisions be made schedule by schedule. He vigorously opposes another general revision.

The Panama Canal should by all means be fortified. An appropriation of \$19,000,000 is recommended for this purpose.

There must be no more "pork barrel" methods in river and harbor and public building bills.

Recommendations for anti-injunction and Federal incorporation laws are renewed.

It is proposed that second-class mail rates shall be readjusted so as to charge magazines a much higher rate on their advertising sections.

Strong representations are made for the establishment of a new banking and currency system.

Two new battleships and several auxiliary vessels are urged for the navy.

The President recommends that coal, phosphate and oil lands, and water-power sites be disposed of in the future by leasing.

Estimates for Government expenditures during the next fiscal year have been cut to \$630,494,013.12, which is \$52,964,887.36 less than the actual appropriations for the current year. The estimated receipts for the next fiscal year are \$680,000,000.

The President urges the extension of the civil service principle to the diplomatic and consular corps, and the acquisition by the Government of residences and offices for its diplomatic officers.

Some criticisms of the Payne tariff act are just, says the President, but more are unfounded.

There should be more officers for the army. The engineer corps should be increased by sixty.

The fortifications at Corregidor Island, Manila Bay, and at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, should be carried to early completion.

Interstate railroads should be prevented from owning or controlling ships trading through the Panama Canal.

Regarding the courts the President declares the crying need of the United States is expediting the cost of litigation by simplifying judicial procedure and expediting final judgment. The Supreme Court should be relieved from unnecessary appeals.

The salaries of Federal Judges should be increased.

Postal savings banks will be established in a number of cities January 1. A parcels post on rural delivery routes is recommended. The extension of the civil service to include all classes of postmasters and thus taking these officials entirely out of politics is urged.

The President recommends that Congress give some fitting recognition of the Polar discoveries of Commander Robert E. Peary. The Secretary of the Navy suggests that Peary be made a rear admiral and placed on the retired list.

The stupendous value of the agricultural products, amounting to \$8,926,000,000 this year, indicates a good prospect for business throughout the country.

Heavier fines should be imposed against steamship companies for violating the immigration laws.

Some provision should be made for retiring superannuated Government clerks.

The only amendments suggested in the interstate commerce law are an appropriation to enable the Interstate Commerce Commission to ascertain the responsibilities of public carriers in the issuance of bills of lading.

Miss Helena A. Rush

Miss Helena A. Rush, a well-known and highly respected woman of this place, died at her late home on East Pitt Street Monday evening. The cause of death was carcinoma of gall, bladder and liver.

She was the daughter of John H. and Margaret Rush, deceased and was born in Bedford, where she has resided practically all her life time.

Miss Rush is survived by two sisters, Mrs. M. J. Farrell of Reynoldsville and Mrs. E. Jamison of this place.

The funeral will take place this morning at 9 o'clock in St. Thomas' Catholic Church, conducted by Rev. Father William E. Downes. Interment will be made in the old Catholic Cemetery.

BEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Summary for the Month Ending November 29.

Number of male pupils registered to date 193

Number of female pupils registered to date 215

Total number of pupils registered to date 413

Average daily attendance, males 163

Average daily attendance, females 190

Percentage of attendance, males 90.4

Percentage of attendance, females 92.2

Number of pupils present every day 216

Number of pupils sick 27

Number of visitors to school 26

Honor Roll

High School—Coit R. Hoechst and Emily Statler, teachers.

Ruth Allen, Hazel Barnett, Helen Barnett, Alice Colvin, Margaret Evans, Manon Lingie, Rose Lutz, Catherine McLaughlin, Cornelia Penning, Edith Smith, Elsie Weisel, Juliet Wright.

Ninth Grade—Clara E. Rinard, teacher.

Howard Steiner, Reno May, Florence Smith, Virginia Snell, Henry Leasure, Dorothy Lutz, Irma Russell, Magdalene Reed.

Eighth Grade—Abigail Blackburn, teacher.

Marie Litzinger, Maggie Morgart, Seventh Grade—Alice V. Blair, teacher.

None.

Sixth Grade—Edna H. Fulton, teacher.

Magdalene Calhoun, Elsie Ernest, Margaret Pepple, Margaret Stiver.

Fifth Grade—Estelle Weisel, teacher.

Ruth Gibson, Miriam McLaughlin, Dorothy Mock, Alice Blackburn, Ruth Booby.

Fourth Grade—Mary Donahoe, teacher.

Elizabeth Thompson, Ross Crawley, Ruth Steiner, Helen McLaughlin, Hilda Hughes, Beatrice Taylor, Ruth Reed, Frank Guyer, Louise Strook.

Third Grade—Vashti Gibboney, teacher.

Beatrice Allen, Daniel Amos, Dennis Arnold, Helen Billman, Margaret Bortz, Helen Corboy, Joe Given, Raymond Warner, Marguerite Snyder, Pauline Pepple.

Second Grade—Anna Knight, teacher.

Mary Cartwright, Robert Madore, Dale Smith, Geraldine Deckerhoff.

First Grade—Lizzie Bain, teacher.

Elizabeth Madore, Alwida Hughes, Marion Clark, Annie England.

J. M. Garbrick, Principal.

Mrs. Joseph R. Mowery

Mrs. Rosy A. Mowery, wife of Joseph R. Mowery, died at her home in Furnace Row, Earlston, on Wednesday, November 30, aged 37 years, seven months and 29 days. Deceased had been failing in health for about three years but was confined to bed for only a few days. Tuberculosis was the cause of her death. She was a member of the Lutheran Church and a devoted wife and mother.

Mrs. Mowery was born at Tecumseh on March 24, 1873, and was a daughter of the late August P. and Julian Redinger. She was united in marriage on November 23, 1892, with Joseph R. Mowery, who survives her, with two sons, August P. and Walter Z.; also two brothers, George W. Redinger of Pompton Lakes, N. J., and Charles A. of Chattanooga, Tenn., and one sister, Mrs. Eva Ault of McKeesport.

The funeral took place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the services were conducted at the house by Rev. John A. Dillon, pastor of the Christian Church. Interment was made in Everett Cemetery.

Mrs. William N. Boor

Mrs. Susan Boor, wife of William N. Boor, died at her late home in Cumberland Valley Township on Sunday, December 4, at the age of 66 years, nine months and 25 days. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Keyser, deceased, and was born near Bard on February 3, 1844.

On September 25, 1879, she was united in marriage with William N. Boor who, with three sons, Ross K., Robert C. and Nicholas Boor, survives her, five step-children, Isaac and Howard Boor, Mrs. Ada Arnold, Mrs. Harry Sproul and Miss Blanche Boor; one brother, Silas Keyser of Schellsburg, and two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Beagle of Pittsburgh and Mrs. Dr. G. E. Conrad of Johnstown, also survive her.

The funeral services were held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Albert S. Luring of the M. E. Church. Interment was made in the Arnold Cemetery.

Mrs. George Ruppert

Mrs. Louise Ruppert, aged 32 years, wife of George Ruppert, died early Wednesday morning at her home in Cumberland. Besides her husband she is survived by a small child, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner, of this place, and by two sisters.

The funeral will take place at Cumberland this morning at 9 o'clock, with services in St. Peter and Paul's Church and interment will be made in the church cemetery.

School Directors' Convention

The annual meeting of the School Directors of Bedford County will be held in the Court House on December 21 and 22. The first session will open Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Programs will be sent out next week.

On short notice The Gazette can furnish you with calling cards neatly printed. We feel sure we can please you. Call and see our samples.

MENTIONED IN BRIEF

Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes Tersely Told

MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources—Little Points Picked Up By Vigilant Reporters.

Santa Claus is now the coming man.

The shovel brigade was out in full force this week.

Eight inches of snow fell in Bedford and vicinity on Tuesday.

Snow, snow, the beautiful snow. Sleighing is good, boys get busy.

Don't you feel sorry for the automobile man this fine sleighing time?

When purchasing your Christmas presents don't forget the sick and needy.

The Bedford Board of Trade held its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening.

As usual, Guy Blymyer was the first one to appear on our streets with a horse and sleigh.

The Walnut Grove Campmeeting Association will meet in Madsdensville, December 11, at 6 p. m.

Skating is going on at Alum Bark. Quite a number of the lovers of the sport are taking it in with a "crash."

Rev. H. E. Wileand of Juniata occupied the pulpit in Trinity Lutheran Church last Sunday morning and evening.

Do all your holiday buying in Bedford stores. It's your duty to do this, besides you cannot do better elsewhere.

The proceeds of the Japanese Bazaar, given by the Woman's Circle of the Presbyterian Church last week, were \$104.

The many friends of Mrs. Annie D. Shuck will regret to hear that she has been quite ill at her home on West Pitt Street.

A marriage license was granted in Cumberland on Wednesday to Charles David Johnson and Eva Donaldson, both of Six Mile Run.

Dr. A. B. Smith, osteopath and eye specialist of Altoona, has discontinued his visits to Bedford until after the first of the year.

A marriage license was granted at Hollidaysburg this week to Edward J. Riley of Hollidaysburg and Harriet M. Cartwright of Hopewell.

Why send away for your Christmas presents? Take a half day off and visit our home stores, they all have fine, bright and new things.

If you have town properties, farms or lots for sale, and wishing quick returns, you should call on Tate and Cessna, real estate agents. See ad on page four.

Postmaster John Lutz is getting signers to a petition for reappointment as postmaster. It is said that there will be several other candidates for the office.

The wise reader closely scans the advertising columns of his favorite newspaper for holiday bargains. Many a dollar is saved by reading the advertisements.

There will be a congregational meeting in the lecture room of Trinity Lutheran Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Last Saturday night the members of the Ladies' Guild of the Lutheran Church had a surprise party on Mrs. Dr. A. Enfield. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was had by all present.

Yesterday was W. S. Lysinger's birthday and he received quite a number of handsome post cards from the M. E. Sunday School teachers, members of the official board of the church and from many other friends.

All members of K. of P. Lodge, No. 436, and all visiting brethren are requested to be present at the regular meeting on Monday evening at 7 o'clock. Business of importance will be transacted. Refreshments after lodge.

On Saturday the 30th anniversary of the Osterburg Band was celebrated by the members and their friends. A banquet was given in the evening in the Band Hall. Full details of the occasion and history of the band will be published next week.

The regular meeting of Maj. William Watson Post, No. 332, G. A. R., of Bedford will be held on Tuesday, December 13, at 1:30 p. m. A full turn out is desired as an election of officers will be made. Other important business will be transacted.

Martin Marshall (colored), formerly of Bedford, but who has been working at Somerset for some time, was arrested at Johnstown on Saturday last, the charge against him being immorality. At the hearing it was learned that the party preferring the charge was under 15 years of age and a more serious charge was brought against him.

Daniel Feathers

Daniel Feathers, son of David and Susan Feathers, was born June 19, 1847, and died at his home near Weyant December 4, 1910, aged 63 years, five months and 15 days. He was survived by his wife and six children: Albert, Jacob and Mrs. F. Claycomb of Imbler; Mrs. George Mott of Cessna, and William and Mollie, at home. He was buried at Imbler December 6, Rev. H. C. Salem officiating.

COUNCIL MEETING

Record of Business Transacted by Borough Dads.

The regular monthly meeting of Council was held Monday evening, with Councilmen Smith, Rinard, Donahoe, Blymyer, Russell and White present.

The following bills were presented and ordered paid: James Crouse, salary, \$40; Elmer E. Corie, salary, \$40; William Thomas, salary, \$3; Bedford Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, light for month of November, \$176.10; W. S. Fletcher, repairs, \$4; Merwin McKaig, pipe, \$48.95; The Kelly & Jones Company, lead, \$10.50; Inquirer Printing Company, publishing ordinances, \$5.55; H. F. Price, labor and material, \$2.80; Edward Bailey, freight and drayage, \$5.70; A. B. Brightbill, blacksmithing, \$8.10; total, \$349.70.

The matter of the price of lights for the streets was discussed and the president and the Borough Property and Light Committee were instructed to confer with the electric light company.

Street Commissioner Crouse was instructed to purchase five tons of coal for borough purposes.

The matter of a proposed bridge on Spring Street was referred to the Street Committee.

A resolution was adopted by Council by which all prisoners admitted to the lockup are to be received by one of the borough policemen, and to be discharged only on the authority of the Chief Burgess.

Borough Treasurer Davison reported \$22 received for the month of November and paid out \$237.25. Balance in Treasurer's hands: borough fund, \$1,646.08; water fund, \$439.09.

Burgess Corie reported three arrests: fines collected, \$2.50; licenses, \$2.50 received from Justice of the Peace Abram Weisel.

PUBLIC ORCHARD MEETINGS

Lectures and Demonstration to be Held in This County.

The fall schedule of the public meetings in the State Model Orchards, conducted by the Horticultural Inspectors under the direction of Prof. H. A. Surface, Economic Zoologist, has been compiled, and include the following appointments in this county:

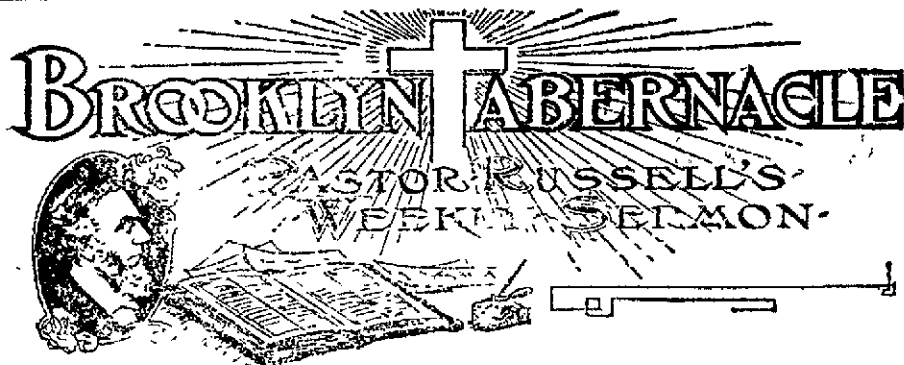
Monday and Tuesday, December 12 and 13, at the orchard of Top Roland near Chapman's Run.

Wednesday and Thursday, December 14 and 15, at the orchard of Samuel Snyder near Woodbury.

Friday and Saturday, December 16 and 17, at the orchard of William Claar near Queen.

These meetings are held for the purpose of extending the educational work of the department, both by lectures and demonstrations, the experts performing and directing the work as it should be done. In each of these orchards about an acre of trees is set aside and conducted as a model, or example, of what can be done in fruit growing and pest control. The state's representatives will be present rain or shine.

It is understood that specimens



Brooklyn, December 4 — Pastor Russell continues to use the Academy of Music, our largest auditorium, whenever he speaks in Brooklyn, the "Tabernacle" being of insufficient capacity. He had a splendid audience today of thoughtful-looking people, evidently chiefly from the middle walks of life. Asked why so few of the wealthy attended, his characteristic reply was: "Of my Master it is written, 'The common people heard him gladly.'" He spoke from the following text:

"The Lord, whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to his temple, even the Messenger of the covenant, whom ye delight in. Behold he shall come, saith Jehovah of Hosts; but who may abide the day of his coming?"—Malachi iii, 1-5.

Six thousand years ago in Eden our Maker, in justly sentencing his disobedient children to death, intimated that ultimately the Seed of the woman would bruise the serpent's head. This hidden promise was the first intimation of the Divine mercy which our gracious Creator purposed in himself from before the foundation of the world. Ever noble, kind and gracious our Creator restrained his mercy for the good of his creatures—that they might learn to appreciate the exceeding sinfulness of sin. For the good of the angels also, and that they might fully know of his justice, as well as of his wisdom and power, God insisted upon dealing with his creatures from the standpoint of exact justice. They had sinned and thereby had forfeited all claim upon the eternal life which he had given them conditionally.

Eternal torment, as we have already seen, did not in any sense or degree enter into the Divine intention. His sentence upon man, plainly stated, was "Dying thou shalt die," not, "Living thou shalt live in torment." "The soul that sinneth it shall die" (Genesis ii, 17; Ezekiel xviii, 4). God intended to exemplify in his dealings with our race a principle of Divine government to be made operative everywhere—ultimately amongst all his creatures on the spirit plane, as well as upon the earthly.

Long centuries after, in the seventh generation of Adam's children, God spoke prophetically through one of these, Enoch, saying, The Lord cometh with ten thousands of his holy ones to execute justice in the earth—to establish righteousness amongst men. Time passed on, but sin prevailed and the coming of the Great Deliverer was still future.

Next God spoke to Abraham, after first he had tested his faith and loyalty. To him he mentioned the same great Deliverer who would bruise the serpent's head and who would come in great glory with ten thousands of his holy ones. To Abraham he gave assurance that this One, in some way, would be identified with his posterity, so that he might properly be called the Seed of Abraham. He said, "In thy Seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed."

The Divine Programme was not changed, but more explicit statements were given respecting it. Thereafter all taught of God would know to look for the Messianic blessing through Abraham's Seed. Besides, the Covenant was afterward confirmed with an Oath to Abraham, later, to Isaac; later, to Jacob. That Covenant promise became the basis of God's adoption of the entire nation of Israel—all of Jacob's children. They were heirs of the Abrahamic Covenant—the Oath-Bound Covenant. If so great an honor from the Almighty God had made some of the Jewish people at times to appear arrogant and proud, let us not forget that to err is human—to forgive, Divine. Perhaps if we were in their stead our imperfections would similarly display themselves.

God's Covenant of the Law

Israel's experiences of tribulation and bondage in Egypt were probably necessary to prepare them for God's great proposition—that they should keep the Law and as a reward have life everlasting. As it is written, "He that doeth these things shall live by them" (Leviticus xviii, 5). Israel greatly rejoiced in this manifestation of Divine preference for them more than for all others of humanity. The Law Covenant was mediated. The sacrifice of bulls and of goats made a typical atonement for them for a year, so that they might enter into this Covenant relationship with God. But when they attempt to keep the Law they were disappointed. They failed. The Law of God being the full measure of a perfect man's ability, and the Jews, like other men, be-

ing imperfect, found that they had undertaken an impossibility.

Not a Jew kept the Law perfectly. Not a Jew, therefore, gained eternal life during the first year. But God, foreknowing this, had made preparation for a repetition of the Atonement Day every year, so that the people might continue striving to attain eternal life. Year after year, century after century, they failed, and discouragement took place of hope. God was teaching them a great lesson respecting the need of better sacrifices than those of bulls and goats, and also teaching them that there is no other means of justification in his sight. They got blessings under this Covenant—educational blessings, but not the blessing hoped for, not life eternal. Hence they were not in a position to become, as they had hoped, a national Messiah, a national Seed of Abraham, for the blessing of all the nations.

God gave them kings for a time, but these were unable to accomplish the great things hoped for. But the promise of a personal Messiah was made, and that he should be of the lineage of David, a great King, far superior to the great, wise and rich Solomon.—Messiah would be David's Son and yet David's Lord (Psalm cx, 1; Matthew xxii, 42-44). Here, as God intended, Israel began to get the thought of a personal Messiah, a King of Glory, who would use their nation as his instrumentality for the conquering of the world, when every knee should bow and every tongue confess to the glory of God.

A New Covenant and Better Mediator

The next lesson for Israel to learn was that a change of Dispensation must come, that, as Moses had mediated the Law Covenant, so an antitypical Moses, a greater than Moses, would conduct them into the blessings and privileges of a still better Covenant, a Covenant more favorable to them and under which they could gain eternal life. This New Covenant was particularly set before them through Jeremiah's prophecy (xxxi, 31-34). And this, combined with the statement of Moses respecting a greater Mediator, helped their faith to take a fresh hold upon the Oath-Bound Abrahamic Promise—"In thy Seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed."

If a great enough Mediator should come as the promised Messenger of God, and should establish a better Covenant, under which Israel could have eternal life, and if he, as the offspring of David, should become their King, then indeed, Abraham's Seed, the nation of Israel under that great Mediator-King, would be fully qualified to bless all the families of the earth. The thought of this glory to their nation became a fresh inspiration, and around it gathered the fifty odd thousand of Jews, out of all the tribes of Israel, who returned from Babylonian captivity under the edict of Cyrus, offering them this privilege.

Through the Prophet Ezekiel the Lord again made mention of the fact that their Law Covenant, made at Sinai, must, before their great blessing of restitution, give place to a New Covenant, a better Covenant. Speaking of the time when he would regather them out of all lands and would fulfill to them the promise made to Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, and make them a great nation, and use them for the blessing of other

BLOCKADED

Every Household in Bedford Should Know How to Resist It.

The back aches because the kidneys are blocked.

Help the kidneys with their work. The back will ache no more.

Lots of proof that Doan's Kidney Pills do this.

It's the best proof, for it comes from this vicinity.

Mrs. E. E. Adams, Clarence Street, Hyndman, Pa., says: "I was afflicted with kidney trouble and lumbago and Doan's Kidney Pills brought me the first permanent relief I had ever received. There were severe pains in my back and I had chills and dizzy spells. When Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me I commenced their use and before I had taken them long I was rid of every symptom of my trouble. I am now enjoying good health." (Statement given in October 1907.)

Two Years Later

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nations, the Lord declares, "Not for your sakes do I this, O house of Israel, but for my name's sake." He then proceeds to tell them that at the time he would receive them back again into his love and favor he would also humble their pride by restoring the Samaritans and the Sodomites—peoples whom Israel detested as inferiors and sinners.

God declares that neither of these peoples had ever committed as serious sins against Divine goodness as had Israel, and that when he would again bless Israel he would bless also these other peoples in their midst. Let me quote his words: "When thy sisters, Sodom and her daughters, shall return to their former estate, and Samaria and her daughters shall return to their former estate, then thou and thy daughters shall return to your former estate. * * * Nevertheless I will remember my Covenant with these in the days of thy youth, and I will establish unto thee an everlasting Covenant. * * * And I will give them (Sodomites and Samaritans) unto thee for daughters, but not by thy Covenant (not under the old Law Covenant; but under the New (Law) Covenant of the future), and I will establish my Covenant with thee; * * * (in order that) thou mayest remember and be confounded, and never open thy mouth any more, because of thy shame, when I am pacified toward thee for all that thou hast done, saith the Lord God" (Ezekiel xvi, 55-63).

This New and better Covenant is to be mediated through a personal Messiah—a still more glorious Mediator than Moses, a still more glorious King than David—this One whom Israel began to look for and to long for. Can we wonder that they failed to identify him in the lowly Nazarene who died at Calvary? We cannot! Nothing but a special assistance of the holy Spirit would enable any one to trace the connection between the glorious pictures of the prophecies and the humble appearance of him who came to fulfill those prophecies. We do see, however, that the great Messiah of Glory, Jesus, in his Second Advent as King of kings and Lord of lords, fills absolutely every demand of Jewish expectation and of prophetic outline. Some can see, but others cannot as yet, that he who was pierced is the same One who, as the Son of God, in great glory is shortly to bless Israel—and all the families of the earth through Israel.

"Abide the Day of His Coming"

Our text is from another prophecy speaking of this same great Messiah, the Mediator of the New Covenant, King of kings and Lord of lords, who, as the representative of the great Jehovah, his Father, is to reign until all enemies shall be put down; until Satan shall be bound and, ultimately, shall be crushed—until Adam and his race, released from Divine sentence, under the New Covenant provisions, shall be uplifted out of sin and degradation and death to perfection and everlasting life—the unwilling and disobedient being destroyed in the Second Death.

The Prophet Malachi points out that the Messiah of the New Covenant, whom he announces, is the glorious Mediator and antitypical King for whom they had waited long and of whom they delighted to think. He would come to the temple—thus implying that he would be not only an antitypical Prophet, an antitypical King, but also an antitypical Priest—"after the order of Melchisedec;" "A priest upon his throne" (Psalm cx, 4; Zechariah vi, 13).

But after this joyful proclamation that their long-expected and glorified Mediator of the New Covenant should be looked for, they were warned that his day would be one of trial, one of special testing and proving, that the Lord might find the

antitypical Priests and antitypical Levites to serve in the antitypical Temple. He would be like a refiner, of fire to take away the dross and to leave only the pure metal—fiery trials and testings being implied. He would "be like fuller's soap," in the sense that a great washing or purging would take place to make ready for the Kingdom the called and chosen and faithful.

At that time the consecration of Judah and Jerusalem unto the Lord will be accepted as in olden times. We may understand that this spirit of devotion is now reviving amongst the Jews and particularly amongst those who are identified with Jerusalem and the Zionist movement. Hitherto this has been a political movement in the interest of Jewish nationalization and a home for exiles. Now, however, the due time has come for a real movement of those who have the faith—to draw near to God and to show their faith by helping forward in the restoration of earthly Jerusalem and her interests.

Why Messiah's Coming Delayed

The First-begotten of the Father, as his glorious Agent in the great work of creation, had the honor granted him of becoming the great Messenger of the Covenant, the great Prophet, Priest and King of Israel, the great Michael of Daniel xii, 1. But there were tests connected with his attainment of this high position:

(1) By faith he must lay aside his heavenly glory, in obedience to the Father's will to become a man—not a sinful man, but a perfect man—holy, harmless, undefiled, separate from sinners. (2) Thus prepared to become the Redeemer it was his privilege to make full consecration of his earthly interest and the Father's pleasure to beget him of the holy Spirit at Jordan to the spirit nature on the highest plane. For three and a half years his sacrifice burned upon the altar. It was indeed better than the sacrifice of bulls and goats, for it was a corresponding price for Adam; an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth; a man's life for a man's life. (3) When Jesus had thus sacrificially parted with his earthly life he experienced a resurrection change from human nature to spiritual, like what he was originally, only higher and more glorious. Thus he was at once both a sacrifice and the spirit-begotten priest who offered that sacrifice. When he arose from the dead, his personal sacrifice had ended and his personal perfection as a spirit being was completed.

Then why did he not at once begin his great work as Prophet, Priest, King and New Covenant Mediator for Israel and through Israel for the world? It was because there was to be more than one sacrifice in the Divine Plan on the Day of Atonement. Throughout this Gospel Age this risen, glorified High Priest, Mediator, Prophet and King has been waiting to inaugurate his glorious Kingdom of blessing—waiting while a little handful of saints should be selected from the world and tested and found worthy and glorified with himself—a "little flock" out of all mankind, both Jews and Gentiles.

When this Bride class shall have completed her sacrifice in and under the merit of the great Priest, then every arrangement for the blessing of Israel as Abraham's seed and of all nations through Israel will have forthwith commenced. Thus seen the revelation of Israel's great Messenger of the New Covenant is very important not only to the Jew, but also to the world of mankind, who must receive their blessings under Israel by a compliance with the same New Law Covenant. Moreover, the elect handful of saints drawn, called and gathered during the parenthesis period are also deeply interested in God's glorious Kingdom, for the Divine promise is that they shall be then changed to be like their Master and share his glory.

Judgments Will Be of the Lord

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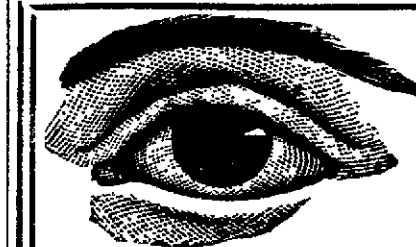
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against false swearers, and against those who oppress the hireling in his wages, the widow and the fatherless, and that turn aside the stranger from his right" (verse 5).

Ah, do we not see here plainly stated that the Messianic Kingdom means not only glory and honor to those whom he will accept as servants, but that it means also requirements of faithfulness to the principles of Truth, of purity, of harmony with God? And this lesson for the Jew, under his New Covenant arrangement, will ultimately apply to all nations. Under that new arrangement, under Israel's New Covenant, all the families of the earth will be privileged to become "Israelites indeed" through faithfulness to the great Prophet, Priest, King and Mediator of Israel and of all the families of the earth.

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The Power of Influence

What the world needs today is the courage of the individual. You read the huge statistics and the tremendous things, and you ask, "What's the use? What could I do? What do I count?" The pity is that people ask such questions and then go along the lines of least resistance. What they should ask is, "How can I use my influence best?" There is in you the potentiality of the human being, the greatest power of the age. You have influence—Influence upon your own life and upon the lives of others. Your influence is power, whether it comes from money, personal talents, or station. If you look at this aright you begin to realize your responsibility in the scheme of human society; and when we get the people in this attitude of mind we have the working force of reform. Ultimately the individual finds expression in the government of the day, and when that government shows weakness or extravagance we may trace back its evil to the lack of character and purpose in the individual.

This is the time to begin improvement by improving yourself and by making a better use of the influence which you can exercise in your daily life. You should stand for peace, because the growth of the peace movement means the discouragement of the billions spent in preparations for war. You should stand for brotherhood, because a closer kinship means the betterment of social conditions. You should stand for optimism, because that is the higher note which will make life happier and dispel the clouds that have been hanging over us during the past year.—"The Lessons of the Year," in The Ladies' World for December.

A Simple Safeguard for Mothers

Mrs. D. Gilkeson, 326 Ingles Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes." Ed. D. Heckerman.

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Communication From Our Regular Correspondent

CONGRESS IN SESSION

Nothing Much Will Be Done Until After the Holidays—Roosevelt's Silence.

Washington, D. C., December 6.—After a recess and an election eventful in American politics, the national legislature is again in session in Washington. It will be a full year, however, before the result of the recent elections can be fully felt in legislation, and by that time there may be such changes in commercial, industrial and political conditions that the intention of the voters as expressed a few weeks ago will be modified or in some instances nullified. It is an unfortunate condition that twelve months must elapse and a session of Congress intervene before the will of the country as expressed at the polls can be carried into effect, and when it is remembered that this condition is fixed in the Constitution, that fetish of the American lawyer and statesman, it is difficult to see how reform can be effected.

It is expected that the present session will address itself to routine business, the passage of appropriation bills and necessary non-political measures. The President's proclamation has recommended as a matter of course important new legislation, but there is little prospect of its being carried out. Nothing much will be done until after the Christmas holidays, and then barely two months of the Congressional session will remain before this Congress, on the 4th of March, will be ex-officio, and, as has been said, the new Congress just elected to do and undo so much will not have its chance for twelve months.

Among the measures that will surely have a hearing in the discussions under the appropriations bills will be the subject of the fortification of the Panama Canal and there will be a confusion of party lines in the debate on this question. Some Republicans and some Democrats will oppose the military program proposed by the President, while other Republicans and Democrats will approve it. Mr. Tawney, chairman of the Appropriations Committee, who failed of reelection, will urge that the canal shall be made a free waterway, unguarded by fortresses or cannon, while those of the Roosevelt and Taft school of politics will insist that a property costing nearly half a billion of dollars and essential to the defense of our extensive western coast line shall not be left without adequate military protection, always, of course, "in the interest of peace," as Mr. Roosevelt would express it.

There is much comment in Washington with regard to the almost oppressive silence of Mr. Roosevelt since the election. He has completely disappeared from the political firmament, and now instead of headlines and columns on the first pages of the daily papers, there is not even a paragraph or a caricature. The explanation is that he has probably given a tip to his friends, the reporters and caricaturists (for between him and them there has been a loyalty mutual and ideal) that they shall give him an indefinite term of exclusive privacy. It would not be bad for Mr. Roosevelt's political future if he should let his beard grow, take the Canadian route to Van Couver, sail on the Empress of India line to Yokohama, and spend the next two years in Japan, China, the Philippines, Java, Straits Settlements and India, returning to this country in time to mix in the next Presidential election.

It is said that an effort will be made by the Postmaster General, backed by the administration, to pass a bill reducing postage on sealed letters to one cent and also to carry into effect the long opposed parcels-post privileges enjoyed by all foreign peoples, but through the influence of the express companies withheld from the

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Settin' by the fire alone,
Seems so strange that Mandy's gone,
Old house 'pears deserted now—
Kinder lonesome; an' somehow
All the birds, that sang so glad
Once, now chirrup sorter sad—
Wake the old man up at dawn,
Seem ter say that Mandy's gone.

No one in the house but me;
Everywhar I turn I see
Somethin' that she made fer me.
That old coat thar on the wall,
Mandy made fer me the fall
We moved up hyar, long ago—
Patched now till you'd hardly know
What it's made uv. By the door
Hangs the old gray vest I wore—
Spun an' made it all herself;
An' upon the mantel shelf
Thar's the dog with woolly hide,
Made fer Billy, 'fore he died;
An' the tiny mittens, too,
With the holes all showin' through,
What his little hands did press—
Reaching out fer heaven, I guess.

Thar's her pictur on the wall,
Tuck with me the day we all
Went ter town ter see the show,
Almost twenty years ago.
Don't seem more 'an a year ter me—
Reckin jist because that we
Was so happy; but a day
Seems a year since she's away,
Thar's her bonnet that she wore
Drappin' corn down in the law'r
Feld, last spring, behind the plow;
Seems like I can see her now,
Walkin' patiently along,
Hummin' uv that good old song,
"Rock of Ages, clef' fer me,
Let me hide myself in Thee,"
Singing' like the angels sing
In the Lord's eternal spring.

Hyar's the old clay pipe that she
Used ter fill an' light fer me
When my hard day's work was done
An' I sat thar in the sun
By the open kitchen door.
When her evenin's work was o'er
She would fetch a chur an' look
For her specs and bring the Book
An' she'd set an' read ter me
Under the big illum tree
Never murmured at her lot,
An' one evenin', when I got
Kinder blue because that we
Was so pore, she read ter me,
From the Book uv Job uv Uz,
An' somehow the story was
Jist as ef God spoke an' He
Was a-talkin' right ter me.

Seem ter hear them words terday,
As I kneel an' try ter pray—
Pray ter God to keep me pore
An' ter give me back onct more
Mandy. But the Lord, would He
Bring her back from heaven ter me—
Take away her starry crown,
Shinin' robes, an' bring her down
From His mansions in the sky,
Jist fer sich a wretch as I?
No; the words I cannot say,
I can only kneel an' pray:
"I am blind, Lord, lead the way."

So I try ter be content,
Knowin' God has never sent
Burdens more than we can bear;
An' I lifts my heart in prayer,
Knowin' Mandy's with the blest;
After all, the Lord knows best.
An' what I don't understand
I jist leave to His own hand;
When my feet go strayin' in
The ferbidden paths uv sin
I can only kneel an' pray:
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OUR NEIGHBORS

Newsy Items Clipped From Adjoining County Papers.

The till of the B. & O. depot at Garrett was robbed of \$218 cash, Friday, November 18. One hundred and eighty-six dollars of the amount stolen was done up in packages ready for shipment to the United States Express Company, to which company the funds belonged. The remainder of the sum missing, or \$32, was B. & O. money and was taken from the cash drawer. The robbery was committed while Agent Bert Rush was at work on the station platform assisting trainmen unload freight. The robber picked the lock of the door leading from the waiting room to the agent's office, and after securing the loot disappeared without leaving behind him any clue as to his identity.

Fairs Claim State Aid

The Meyersdale Fair and Race Association has presented to the County Commissioners a claim for \$1,000, to which it contends it is entitled under an act of 1907. The act, it is claimed, provides for the payment of \$1,000 by the state, through the County Commissioners, to associations conducting agricultural fairs. The matter has been referred to County Solicitor Charles W. Walker, and if it is found that the association is entitled to the amount claimed, it is likely the Somerset County Agricultural Association, which held a fair at the county seat last week, will also file a claim.

Mrs. Baer Sues Manager

Mabel McKinley Baer, niece of President William McKinley, has filed suit for \$25,000 damages against J. G. Conderman, owner of the Julian Theater, Chicago, where she has been appearing in vaudeville. She charges that Conderman demanded that she play one more day than provided in her contract and that he refused to surrender her baggage when her engagement expired.

New Lutheran Editor

The Rev. L. P. Young of Salisbury was elected editor of the Young Lutheran, a periodical published under the auspices of the Somerset County Lutheran Conference, at the recent session of that body at the Greenville Church. He succeeds the Rev. Charles P. MacLaughlin as editor, the latter having left this conference.

Editor Scull's Wife Very Ill

Mrs. R. S. Scull, wife of the editor of the Somerset Herald, who recently underwent a serious operation in a Philadelphia hospital, was reported in a dangerous condition the first of the week. She is a sister of Dr. Brubaker of Philadelphia and Mrs. L. M. Phillips of Somerset.

Somerset Votes for Water

The people of Somerset at a special election November 29 voted 257 to 68 for the \$25,000 bond issue to furnish money for an addition well and reservoir for the town's water system. A political tinge was given to the fight toward its close and about half the property holders apparently refused to vote.

Johnstown Man Chokes to Death

Henry Thomas, aged 66, while eating his supper at his home in Johnstown on November 30, choked to death. A piece of bread or meat became lodged in his throat and almost before a physician could reach his side he was dead.

Logan House Sold

Charles A. Marks, the present landlord of the Logan House on West Allegheny Street, Hollidaysburg, on Thursday purchased that popular hotel property from the owner, Patrick Hughes, of Bedford.

Will Raise Hogs

Levi Wolf, an enterprising citizen of Rockwood, Somerset County, has started an industry which may, to a certain extent, tend to reduce the price of pork in that vicinity. He has

fenced in an 80-acre plot of ground and the same will be used as a ranch on which hogs will be raised. At present he has 221 hogs on the ranch. It required four miles of wire fencing to enclose and partition the ranch off and two large pig styes have been built.

Filled Sixty-Five Pages

Register Bert F. Landis of Somerset is engaged in recording one of the biggest pieces of work ever filed in the Register's office in many years. It is the appraisal of the personal property of Henry Columbus Shaw, late of Salisbury, and covers sixty-five typewritten pages. The property is appraised at \$102,478.93.

Dies of Gunshot Wound

Frank Brumbaugh of Huntingdon died Friday night in a Philadelphia hospital from a gunshot wound received accidentally on Thanksgiving Day.

Approximately \$35,000 is given to the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church by the Rev. Dr. David S. Monroe, whose will was probated at Hollidaysburg.

TAKE CARE!

Remember that when your kidneys are affected your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years." Ed. D. Heckerman.

Killing Scale by Washing

A prominent fruit grower of Schuylkill County wrote Prof. H. A. Surace, State Zoologist, that he has washed his young fruit trees with lye left after making soap, and had cleaned up the scale on them by so doing. He used an old broom for applying the wash, and also dashed it over the tops of the trees, and said "I washed them all over with the soap and lye, now the scale is gone and the bark is nice and smooth." He wanted to know if the operation should be repeated, and asked if he should place soap around the tree. The reply of the Professor was as follows:

"I am glad to learn that you cleaned up the San Jose scale on your young trees by washing them with soft soap lye. This will do the work all right. I have recommended it many times. However, I should not put a great deal on the ground around the trees. I fear it may injure the roots if the ground should be soaked with it. You can repeat it this fall with equally good results, or you can apply this liquid as a spray if you wish."

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Five Hundred People Homeless

Fire early Thursday destroyed thirty frame buildings, six small retail stores, six boarding houses and a part of the Buell planing mill, besides a part of the Dallas Ice and Fuel plant, and other property, at Dallas, Tex. The loss will reach a quarter of a million. Five hundred persons are homeless as the result.

You Must Read This if You Want the Benefit

J. W. Greer, Greenwood, La., suffered with a severe case of lumbago. "The pains were so intense I was forced to hypodermic injections for relief. These attacks started with a pain in the small of my back which gradually became fairly paralyzing. My attention was attracted to Foley's Kidney Remedy and I am glad to say after using this wonderful medicine I am no longer bothered in any way by my old enemy lumbago." Ed. D. Heckerman.

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FRIDAY MORNING, DEC. 9, 1910.

THE MESSAGE

Among American state papers it is doubtful whether a parallel can be found to the message sent to the Congress by President Taft. He is empowered by the constitution to acquaint that august body with the state of the Union and to make recommendations. It would require a marble-hearted skeptic to doubt that he did both, and voluminously. His overmastering conception seems to have been that it would be shirking his job not to traverse the whole of departmental detail and exhibit to a pulsating people his ability to hold his hand on every lever of the intricate mechanism. Through its 94 pages of compact printing he is seen dictating to a wearied corps of typewriters, holding in his hand the reports of each in turn, from his several cabinet counselors, none of whose advice he is bound to accept.

His imperialistic bent, so often noted, is emphatically displayed by making our foreign relations fill the premier pages of his output, which would make Lope de Vega surrender the prize for prolific production. Like a speech from the throne, he records that the truculent state department has been unable to disturb the friendly relations subsisting with the several nations. Nothing is recounted not fully stated in the recent press, except it be the peculiar distortion regarding Nicaragua, wherein he asserts that Zelaya "violated the laws of war by unwarranted execution of two American citizens, who had regularly enlisted in the ranks of the revolutionists." If filibusters can "regularly" enlist abroad and claim American protection, the schoolbooks need immediate revision.

From such a farrago of repetitions of former and familiar recommendations, which have thus far been ignored by Congress, it is hard to select the more important. He attacks again the manifest and venerable business crudities in the treasury bureaus, but with no hope of their present removal. They are indeed as archaic as the word "idiotic" he accepts in discussing the imperial topics. He reiterates his notions about river and harbor appropriations, but sings quite softly on his pet corporation tax, yet resting with the court in grave danger.

Finally, he reaches the Payne tariff law, and strives to befuddle the people into thinking that the protective principle was not endangered by the elections, but only the honesty of the standpaters. Let that stand. On his favorite topic of the tariff board he merely repeats the chronic pleas of the special interests not to be molested, not to disrupt the stability of business, but to let the people continue to suffer extortion of admittedly indefensible schedules. And then he intimates, as The Post has said, that an increase in the board membership and cost would soon be asked. As the gent in the play, who had chalked the \$2 claimed on everything in sight, heard the answer, "You don't get it." This complete yielding to the conspirators against the quick amelioration of the people's condition is the one item arousing indignation. His whole administration will tumble by his choice.

Little else remains in the swollen document to command attention, for it is all so stale, so musty. He wants the Panama Canal fortified, and offers as the new reason that "the construction was to increase the military effectiveness of our navy," whereas so many thought it was to expand

foreign commerce. About tolls on the canal, his discussion is premature, for he will be "functus officio" when the question becomes important, as it is. Placidly he pursues his way through the postal report and remarks that adoption of a parcels post on rural routes is enough for the present. He swallows all the ideas of Secretary Meyer, of the navy, about abandoning navy yards, more ships, etc. There was a little girl once who listened to the prayer of an older sister, ejaculated, "Them's my sentiments," and scuttled into bed.

One remaining item refers to conservation, about which great commotion has been recently stirred. The Post has agreed with Mr. Taft's theories, as expressed at St. Paul, and whether this agreement, or that he grew tired of writing, was the cause, he inserts all he said again.

Nothing can be found to excite. Contrasted with the sloppy English of his predecessor, which yet bristled with hot rhetoric, the conscience-clear people and the unafraid crooks and malefactors poor, or of great wealth have the even tenor of their way undisturbed. As an amanuensis of unflagging zeal, our President stands easily first.—Pittsburg Post.

Just received and on the counters now 742 dozen of Ladies and Gents Christmas Handkerchiefs, from 5c up. Mrs. Ella Gilchrist.

Woman Arrested

Mrs. Adeline Robinson, aged 66, a prominent resident of Hollidaysburg, was arrested at the Pennsylvania Railroad station, Johnstown, late Saturday evening on a charge of administering chloroform to her daughter's infant child, and in making a confession to the police implicating her husband, Samuel Robinson, and Dr. E. M. Duff, also of Hollidaysburg. Dr. Duff and Robinson were arrested while driving to the Pennsylvania depot the woman, according to her own confession and to the testimony of the cab driver, John Schultz, placed the baby in a telescope valise after administering the chloroform. She alighted with the telescope in her hands. Schultz informed the police and Mrs. Robinson was arrested before she could escape.

It was early last August that Robinson advertised for a family in Johnstown to care for their daughter. A Seventh Ward family answered the advertisement and soon afterward Dr. Duff and Mrs. Robinson came to Johnstown to see the family. The two returned to Hollidaysburg, and on August 25 Miss Fannie Robinson, who gave her name as Mrs. Frank Hughes, moved in. Last Wednesday evening a boy baby was born. Thursday morning Mrs. Robinson went to Johnstown, taking with her a new telescope. She then went home, but on Saturday returned and committed the above stated crime. It is thought Mrs. Robinson's mind is weak. She is 67 years old, and is well known in and about Hollidaysburg. Her husband and Dr. Duff have been discharged, after a hearing at Johnstown on Tuesday, there being no evidence to show that they were implicated in the murder of the child.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Oldest Man of Cambria Dead

The oldest man in Cambria County is dead at the age of almost 100 years. James Gallagher died at his home in Ebensburg Monday morning of old age. He was born in Ireland February 2, 1815, and was one of 18 children. He came to America 60 years ago. He followed railroad construction and became a resident of Ebensburg in 1861. He had been blind for almost 26 years.

Reynolds Spent \$2,849

John M. Reynolds, Lieutenant Governor-elect, on Friday filed his account of campaign expenses, showing that he expended \$2,849.97.

Of this sum \$2,500 was sent to the State Republican Committee as a contribution and \$250 to the Bedford County Republican Committee, the balance being for photographs, mileage books, printing and other items. He received no contributions.

Death of a Noted Woman

Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of the Christian Science Church, died at her splendid mansion on Beacon Street, in the Chestnut Hill section of the City of Newton, Mass., Saturday night, aged 89 years. Death was due to an attack of pneumonia, from which the aged woman suffered about a week.

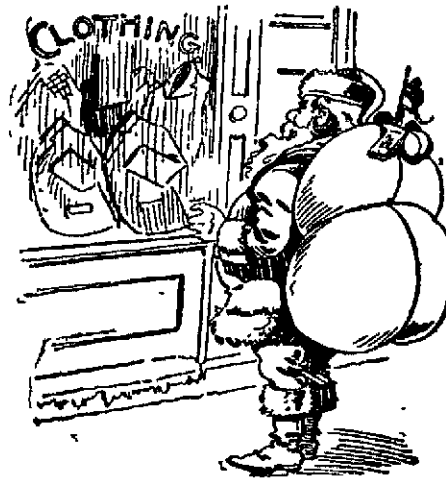
Pleasantville Evangelical Charge

Preaching at Pine Grove Sunday at 10:30 a. m.; Imbertown 7:30 p. m. W. F. Conley, Pastor.

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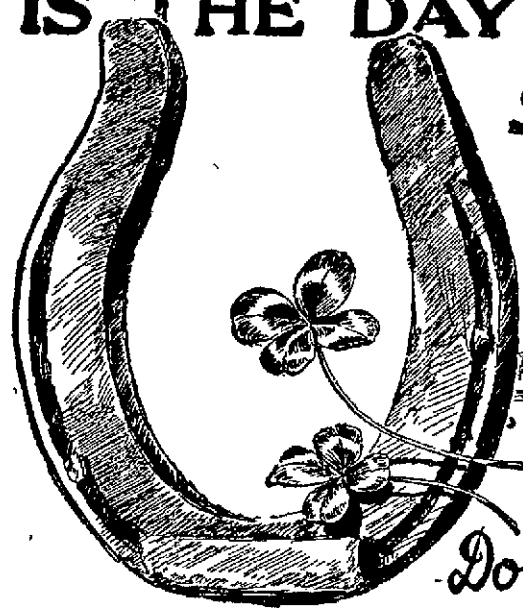
W. B. SEELEY, of Philadelphia, the noted truss expert will be in Altoona and will remain at the Altoona Hotel next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 12th, 13th and 14th.

Mr. Seeley says the SPERMATIC SHIELD TRUSS, as now used and approved by the U. S. Government, will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate relief, but closes the opening in a short time on the average case, and costs far less than the numerous fraudulent schemes so often worked upon the unsuspecting sufferer.

It produces results without surgery or harmful injections. The merit of this instrument was appreciated by the Czar of Russia, who procured one for his own use. Mr. Seeley has many old customers in this vicinity whom he hopes to have call. He will also be glad to show interested parties his patented appliances, or he will demonstrate the reliability of their work without charge.

Ruptured persons should remember the date and take advantage of this unusual opportunity. Personal references on request. Home Establishment, 1027 Walnut Street, Philadelphia.

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Yours truly,
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Sunday, December 11, services as follows: St. James, Pleasant Valley, 10 a. m.; County Home 3 p. m. J. W. Lingle, Pastor.

Dunning's Creek Reformed Charge

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Local NSTITUTE

The following is a program of the fifth regular session of the Broad Top Educational Association to be held in the K. G. E. Hall at Riddlesburg on Saturday, December 10, at 2 o'clock p. m.:

- I Opening Exercises
- II Topics for Discussion—
 - 1 How May Our Local Institutes be Improved? Adda Workman, Jennie B. Kuhn
 - 2 Number Work in Primary Grades Lucy Dsinger, Sydna Thomas
 - 3 School Incentives Elsie Hoover, J. C. McGahey
 - 4 History in the Lower Grades D. H. Fisher, Dess M. Young
- III Music in charge of Miss Gibbs will be interspersed throughout the program
- IV Miscellaneous Business (Remember your dues)

J. W. BARNEY,
EDNA KARNES,
SAMUEL McCABE,
Committee.

St. Clairsville Lutheran Charge
Sunday, December 11: Preaching services at Imber at 10 a. m.; at 7:30 p. m. illustrated sermon on "Daniel." At 2:30 p. m. special sermon at St. Clairsville to those recently received into the church. All welcome.

H. C. Salem, Pastor.

Wolfsburg M. E. Charge
Sunday, December 11: Preaching at Burning Bush at 10:30 a. m.; Rainsburg 7:30 p. m., revival services. Albert S. Luring, Pastor.

December 6—Hello, here we are again after being out of the ranks for some time.

Frank Shaffer, of Johnstown spent several days the past week gunning in our locality.

H. P. Hillegass, our old turtle catcher, bagged quite a bunch of the beauties a few days ago.

Mrs. Rebecca Harmon is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Will Deener.

Miss Emma Weyant left on Sunday for Berlin, where she will reside for some time with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lowery.

C. S. Hillegass spent part of Saturday at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McKinney.

Prof. A. N. Lyons is spending some time on Pinnacle Point.

P. A. McCreary left on Monday for Johnstown with a load of produce.

George Mowry spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Deener.

E. J. McKinney and George Mowry, who have been on a hunting trip to the west, have returned home. Boys, was it for (dears)?

Richard Mowry, one of the old war horses of the dark sixties, is the champion 'coon hunter of our community. He succeeded in catching 22 coons this fall. Who can beat it? We would like to hear from them.

Miss Loretta Hillegass of Johnstown spent part of last week at her parental home near here.

Rolla Hillegass returned recently from an extended trip to Johnstown and vicinity.

Ross Weyant is now doing a hustling business in the raw fur trade.

The gang of men under the directions of David Deener, who are prospecting for coal on the shot factory property west of here say that the prospects are still growing more encouraging as they go into the hill.

John Imgrund, Jr., of Jerusalem Valley recently opened a new tin shop at New Baltimore.

The Fyan baseball boys expect to have a stronger team on the field the coming season than they had the past.

Henry McKinney spent Wednesday at Mann's Choice on business.

On Friday, November 25, a birthday quilting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weyant in honor of their daughter, Gertrude. The day was spent in quilting and general conversation and the evening was spent in playing games. The following persons were present: Misses Myrtle Suder, Emma and Celia Weyant, Carrie Hillegass, Agnes and Grace Imgrund, Annie Fisher, Grace Hillegass, Sarah Corley, Grace Noon, Flora and Blanch Hillegass; Messrs. Rolla, Howard, Russell, Michael, Clyde and Ross Hillegass, George Deener, John Imgrund, Elmer, Harry, Irvin and Frank Fisher, Ross and John Weyant.

Only fourteen shopping days until Christmas. Do not wait too long. Big assortment yet at Bingham's.

Point

December 7—John Winegardner and Miss Anna Winegardner went to Friend's Cove on Sunday to spend a few days with the family of Harry Feather.

Children's services will be held in the Reformed Church at Fishertown on Friday evening, December 23, and not on the 24th as was first intended.

The children of Harry Wonders have been on the sick list but are reported better.

Your correspondent and Miss Della Yarnell were Schellsburg visitors on Saturday.

Samuel McIlwaine spent part of Sunday and Monday as the guest of the family of his daughter, Mrs. Hall Davis, of New Paris.

Quite a number of porkers are being slaughtered by our farmers now for the hucksters.

Pierre Hershberger and wife, of Springhope, were the guests of the family of Nathan Riesel on Sunday.

W. D. Slick, our mail carrier, started out on Tuesday morning with his buggy but came back in a sleigh.

Some of our people would like to know why it takes two days for a letter or paper to come to Point from Bedford or Cessna. There is something wrong. The Bedford papers did not get to us until Saturday. The Everett and Cumberland papers were also sent astray. Some weeks our daily papers miss as often as three times. This should not be, and if it occurs much oftener an effort will be made to find where the seat of trouble is.

Hooker.

Waterside

December 6—Mrs. A. H. Gates spent the past week at the bedside of her sick mother, Mrs. Hartman, of Roaring Spring.

The infant daughter of H. M. Guyer had been seriously ill, but is now improving.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bowser of Yellow Creek is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Baker.

A number of our citizens attended the Farmers' Institute held at Loysburg Friday and Saturday.

Miss Della Croft, who had been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Croft, has returned to Martinsburg.

Newton Keith and family, of Curry Station, Frank Hetrick and family and Charles Hetrick and family, of Woodbury, were the guests of John Hetrick, Sr., Sunday.

Chester Cogan of Yellow Creek was a caller at the home of W. E. Baker Saturday.

Candies, candies, candies, 10c to 40c lb, at Bingham's.

Schellsburg

December 7—Mrs. A. B. Ross and daughter Gertrude are visiting relatives at Germantown.

John Snively of Altoona spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Snively, last week.

Mrs. Grant Manges visited her sister, Mrs. Ross Harclerode, at Windber recently.

W. S. Whitmore is the guest of T. L. Snyder and family at Clearfield at present.

Miss Mame L. Burns of Johnstown is visiting relatives here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Whetstone are visiting relatives in Johnstown.

December 7—Frod Stambaugh is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. J. C. Gebbs, at Cleveland, O.

John Fitzsimmons of Schellsburg was a business visitor here Thursday.

Mr. Cannon of Pittsburgh, an eye sight specialist, has been here on professional business the past two weeks.

A crowd of young folks from Imber held a dance at the Sherman Kaufman home Friday evening.

Robert Cuppet of Mann's Choice spent Tuesday in our burg.

The band boys held their annual banquet at the hall last Saturday evening. A large crowd attended and all report a jolly good time.

Miss Lou Oyler of Imber spent Saturday here.

Last Thursday while Sherman Smith was hauling wood his horses became frightened and ran away dragging and throwing him quit a distance. Dr. Lindsey was called and rendered medical aid. Mr. Smith's condition was very serious, but is slowly improving.

Mrs. J. S. Bowser spent Sunday with Schellsburg friends.

Samuel Koonitz and Miss Reta Cessna attended the band boys' banquet here last Saturday evening.

Charles Slick of Altoona visited with Ed. Mason's family here over Sunday.

Earl Huzzard of Bedford was through here this week buying apples.

Dr. H. I. Shoenthal of New Paris was called here last week for consultation with Dr. Lindsey.

T. J. Baldrige of Apollo was here buying apples this week.

Last Thursday Miss Katie Bradley of near this place killed two porkers eight months old that weighed 248½ and 235½ pounds.

Headquarters for Xmas and New Year cards; all 1c each at Bingham's.

Springhope

December 7—Elwood Callihan of Altoona spent Sunday at his old home here.

Jingle, jingle, up and down. Sleights are flying through the town; Jingle, jingle, don't you hear Merry sleighbells far and near.

The series of meetings at this place which were conducted by Edward Randolph and Wilber Anderson of Huntingdon, closed on Sunday night, December 4. Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. Anderson and W. H. Burn, all of Huntingdon, were with us and assisted in the meetings from Thursday till the close. Mrs. Randolph is a daughter of our respected citizen, W. A. Hoover, and spent her girlhood days here.

Last Thursday the women of our town planned a surprise for Mrs. Robert Reininger, it being her 44th birthday. The surprise was complete and Mrs. Reininger was much pleased by the willingness which the visitors showed by the amount of work they did. While some took possession of the kitchen and got the dinner others surrounded a quilt and worked so rapidly that they succeeded in finishing up two haps and sewed several pounds of carpet rags besides some other needle work. The following persons were present: Mrs. Lizzie Blattenberger, Mrs. Effie Zeigler, Mrs. Mary Winegardner, Mrs. Sevilla Deener, Mrs. Lonie Hershberger, Mrs. Julia Lambert, Mrs. Myra Smith, Mrs. W. O. Hoover, Mrs. George Zeigler, Mrs. Amanda Smith, Mrs. Etta Hershberger, Mrs. Clara Zeigler.

Glen Winegardner swallowed a lead pencil about three inches long on Tuesday, but up to this time he has not felt any ill effects from it.

Pilgrim.

Mechanical trains, toys, books, dolls, games and many other articles too numerous to mention at Bingham's.

Fishertown

December 7—Miss Effie Miller of Martinsburg spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Daniel Blattenberger.

Harry Martin of Pittsboro and Harquads spent many to Martinsburg on Saturday evening with friends in Fishertown.

Bert McCreary, after spending the past year in Ohio, came home to spend Christmas with his father, Jacob McCreary.

Mrs. Charles Miller is on the sick list, but at this writing is some better.

C. M. Thompson of Philadelphia was a business caller in this place this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hammaker left Tuesday for Williamsport, Philadelphia and Lancaster, where they will visit relatives and friends for two weeks.

George Hull of Johnstown is the guest of his brother, H. L. Hull.

Miss Reba Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Bedford.

Miss Verdie Cleaver spent a few days with Mrs. W. A. Wolfe.

Grandmother Taylor and daughter, Mrs. Sarah Griffith, of Chestnut Ridge, have been sick for quite a while.

Maurine.

We have just received the largest stock of Christmas goods we have ever unpacked. Call and see them. Mrs. Ella Gilchrist.

School Report

Following is the report of Tull's Hill school, Napier Township: Number enrolled—males 5, females 6; total 11. Average attendance—males 4, females 6; total 10. Per cent. of attendance—males 99, females 100; average 99.

Roll of Honor: Henry and Myrtle Herline, Oscar, Clem, Velma and Zella Dull, Raymond and Grace Nicodemus, Pearl Ellenberger and Katie Fleegle. Margaret M. Reilly, Teacher.

Advertised Letters

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December 9, 1910.

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J. ROY CESSNA

Ridenour Block, Bedford, Pa.

Monday evening, December 5, at the home of D. E. Corle near Cessna, an agreeable surprise party was given in honor of his daughter, Miss Minnie, it being her 17th birthday.

She received about thirty beautiful handkerchiefs and many post cards. The following persons were present: Flora Mowery and Alice Hafer, of Bedford; Cora Smith of near Belden, Clara Souser, Nancy Barclay, Alda Bowser, Ada Miller, Irene Anderson, Cleo Ickes, Carrie Claycomb, Mae Corle and Minnie Corle, George Fetter, John Claycomb, Charles Bowser, Earl Hinton, Earl Ferguson, Roy Ickes, Clarence Anderson, Furl Cook, Joseph Ferguson, Ross Bowser, Humphrey Smith, Harry Claycomb and Thomas Corle.

The jolly crowd returned to their homes wishing Miss Minnie many more bright and prosperous birthdays.

Two Counties Disappointed

The census returns for 1910 have blighted the hopes of a number of counties of the state for separate judges and consequently bills for the creation of judicial districts will have to wait ten years in some cases.

The law fixes 40,000 population as the mark a county must obtain to secure its own judge. There are four counties of the state which are in judicial districts with others and there were hopes in Bedford and Huntingdon that the increase in population would insure them their own judges. Both fall short of the number, Bedford being 33,879, a less number than in 1900, while Huntingdon has 33,304, a gain of about 4,000 in ten years. These two counties are in a district with Mifflin and for years agitation for another judge or a redistricting has been going on.

Greevy Spent \$896.58

Thomas H. Greevy of Altoona, Democratic nominee for Lieutenant Governor, Tuesday fled his expense account at Harrisburg for the recent campaign, showing that he expended \$896.58. He filed in his account a detailed statement of every cent expended, down to fifteen cents for a messenger. He acknowledges \$300 of a contribution from J. K. P. Hall and accounts for \$596.58.

Church of God

Preaching at Saxton, December 11, 10:30. This will be "Church Advocate Day." Revival at Coalmont, services at 7 each evening. Aid Society market in Saxton Hall December 23. F. W. McGuire, Pastor.

Clark-Wilson

Chester S. Clark and Miss Bertha I. Wilson, both of Friend's Cove, were united in marriage by Rev. J. C. Knable of the Reformed Church on Tuesday afternoon. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to the home of the groom, where a reception was given them by Mr. and Mrs. William Irons. Their many friends wish them a happy voyage through life.

Wise and Otherwise

It is a mistake to suppose that the grass widow is always in clover. You couldn't hurt the feelings of some people with a sledge hammer.

There isn't much hope for the fellow who is too lazy to even run in debt.

The early bird gets the worm, but it doesn't pay to stay up all night to do it.

Never call a girl a bird unless you are prepared to order a cold bottle.

The people who throw bouquets at themselves can't always pay the florist's bill.

Speak Kind Words to Living

The people who have so much sympathy for those who have gone beyond all earthly help, might use a little of it in every day life to a good and excellent purpose. The idea of kicking people when alive and then to weep over their grave when dead is what too many of us do and is one reason why the world is no better today. Speak your kind words to the living and you need not care what is said of you.

A man of 82 who has never patronized the barbers figures out that he is \$24,000 ahead of the game. But look at the valuable information he has missed.

If when drying curtains they are hung double over the line they will not stretch at all, as is so often the case when hung up by the edge.

A Christmas Present

In view of the fact that Christmas is again drawing near and that in the minds of many the question arises, what shall it be for the children, sister or brother, father or mother? Right here let me help you. I have made ample provision for all these, and will have on my floor the most handsome and complete line of Pianos ever exhibited in this county. The goods I represent are strictly reliable and up-to-date, and I defy competition in prices and terms. And now, about that Christmas present, nothing will be so much appreciated by the children as a fine, new, sweet-toned Piano. I have them, but the one ideal gift for father and mother, in fact all the household, for all the year round, and the most perfect and complete musical instrument, the ideal home entertainer, and when all the music of all the world is at your command, it is an Automatic Player-Piano. Don't fail to see them.

Do not overlook the celebrated Columbia Graphophone. Will have a fine line. No other Christmas gift will give so much pleasure, to so many people, for so long a time, at so little cost, as one of these.

And now last, but not least, a nice new Automatic Drop Head Sewing Machine for the wife. She will appreciate it.

A word to the school teachers of Bedford County: A liberal discount from regular prices on above named goods, to teachers of our county. It will be to your advantage to investigate my proposition before looking elsewhere. I also have on hand a number of second-hand pianos and organs at low figures. Call and look them over.

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A decision of interest to litigants in the courts of this county was recently rendered by Judge Rice of the Superior Court on the question of the pay of jurors and witnesses in attendance at court. The case arose under the special Act of Assembly passed by Adams County, passed in 1865, by the term of which witnesses attending the courts of that county were to receive \$1 per day and the usual mileage, excepting such witnesses who reside within one mile of the county seat of said court, who shall receive for their services the compensation now allowed by law.

By section one of the act of June 1, 1907, entitled "An act to increase the pay of jurors and witnesses in this Commonwealth," it was provided that "the pay of witnesses shall be one dollar and fifty cents per day, together with mileage as is now provided by law," and by section two all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith were repealed. The question presented and decided was whether the special act of 1865 relative to fees of witnesses in the County of Adams was repealed by the general act of 1907.

The Superior Court holds that the special act was not repealed and is still in force in Adams County and that witnesses in the courts of that county are to be paid \$1 per day instead of \$1.50 as fixed by the general act of 1907.

This decision would necessarily apply to Bedford County because there was a special act passed fixing fees of jurors and witnesses for this county in 1864 similar in its terms and provisions to that of Adams County referred to.

Bedford Presbyterian Church

The new pipe organ will be dedicated at the morning service, at 11, when the subject of the sermon by the pastor, Rev. Ewald Franklin Reimer, B. D., will be "The Sacrifice of Sweet Melody." In the evening, at 7:30, the topic of the sermon is, "How Firm a Foundation," a study of the great hymn of the church. The evening service will be preceded by an organ recital, beginning at 7:15, by Mr. John Everson of Pittsburg. The offering of the evening is to be in silver. The public is very cordially invited to these services.

Sulphur Springs Reformed Charge

Mt. Zion Church: Saturday, December 10, preparatory service and sermon 2:30 p. m. Sunday, December 11, Sunday School 9:30 a. m.; Class of Catechumens 9:30 a. m.; Holy Communion and sermon 10:30 a. m. Grace Church, Mann's Choice: Tuesday, December 13, the Mission Study Class will meet at the home of Miss Orpha Waters at 7:30 p. m. Trinity Church, Dry Ridge: Tuesday, December 12, Teacher Training Class at 6:30 p. m.; sermon at 7:30 p. m. Emmet M. Adair, Pastor.

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St. John's Reformed Church

Sunday School 9:45; Divine worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Both sermons by the pastor. Devotional service at 6:45 p. m. J. Albert Eyer, Pastor.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL.

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We have come to the last scene in the greatest event in history, and we can scarcely do more than read it and write it. Yes, we can believe it firmly, and our hearts can say: "All for me—for my sins. He was wounded for my transgressions, bruised for my iniquities. He hath redeemed me from the curse of the law, being made a curse for me." Since the death of Abel all that have lived on the earth and have passed off it have, with but two exceptions, gone by dying; but, of all the millions upon millions of deaths, there never was one like this. Of all the others each died because of sin, for there had been no death if there had been no sin. But this man had no sin. He knew no sin. He died for our sins. All others had to die—they could not help it. This man laid down his life of his own accord. No one could take it from him (John x, 17, 18). All others were ordinary mortals, but this man lived before the world was. He talked with Adam and Eve, with Enoch and Noah and Abraham and the patriarchs, with Moses and Joshua and David. He made them all and all things. He was God manifest in the flesh. He still lives, and He will come again, and all who have ever lived must give account to Him. Let us remember these things as we meditate upon Him.

In the lesson of two weeks ago we left Him before Pilate, accused by the Jews as an evildoer and by them delivered to the Roman governor to be put to death. He had passed a sleepless night—a night of the most cruel abuse at the hands of His tormentors. It was now early morning, and Pilate, persuaded that he was an innocent man, had made five attempts to release Him, for he knew that for envy the chief priests had delivered Him (verse 14). It was the custom to release a prisoner at this feast, one whom they might select, and he suggested that he should release Jesus who is called Christ. His wife had sent him a message urging him to have nothing to do with that just man, for she had suffered many things in a dream because of Him. Meantime the chief priests and elders were persuading the people to ask for the release of a very wicked man, a notable prisoner called Barabbas, a murderer. So when Pilate made his seventh and last attempt to release Jesus and asked whether it should be Jesus or Barabbas they asked for Barabbas. Listen to Peter after Pentecost concerning this: "Ye delivered Him up and denied Him in the presence of Pilate when he was determined to let Him go. But ye denied the Holy One and the Just and desired a murderer to be granted unto you and you killed the Prince of Life" (Acts iii, 13-15). When Pilate asked, "What shall I do, then, with Jesus who is called Christ?" their united and persistent cry was, "Let Him be crucified!" Pilate then took water and washed his hands before the multitude, saying: "I am innocent of the blood of this just person. See ye to it." Then they cried, "His blood be on us and on our children" (verses 24, 25). So Pilate, willing to content the people, released Barabbas, scourged Jesus and delivered Him to be crucified.

What can any follower of Jesus expect in a world whose highest civil and religious authorities so treated the Son of God? It is the same evil world of Religion, so called, has no more use for Jesus Christ than the Jews, had. The civil authorities have no respect for Him beyond lifting their hats to Him for the sake of politeness, and the devil is the one who is really worshipped, and he is the father of lies and a murderer. Stay, if you can, and see what followed as the Holy One is delivered to their will. After being scourged the soldiers strip Him, put on Him a scarlet robe, crown Him with thorns, mock Him, smite Him on the head, spit upon Him, remove the robe, put His own clothes on Him and lead Him away to crucify Him. At first He bore the cross; then they compelled Simon the Cyrenian to bear it. And so they go forth, two malefactors led with Him to be put to death, a great company following and some wailing women, to whom he spake some weighty words. They reach Golgotha and quickly the cruel work is done. The Son of God is crucified and a title placed over his head in Hebrew, Greek and Latin, "Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews." That was about 9 a. m. on the most awful day that earth ever saw. They reviled Him as He hung there bearing his sins. They rallied on Him, they mocked Him, until about noon the sun shone no longer and there was darkness over all the land until about 3 p. m., when He cried with a loud voice and said, "Father, into Thy hands I commend my spirit," and He was gone. The earth quaked, the rocks rent, graves were opened, and in the temple in the city the veil which separated the holy place from the most holy was rent in twain from the top to the bottom. Consider all the Scriptures fulfilled by these events. Give heed to His seven sayings from the cross and in the first three see forgiveness and glory and all we need while here on earth waiting for His kingdom to come.



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CLIFF DWELLERS OF THE PUYE

Wonderful Homes of a People and Civilization in Our Country Before Our History Commenced.

(By M. J. Brown, Editor Little Valley, N. Y., Hub.)

In the evening of this golden November day I sit at the foot of the cliffs and watch the sun bid good night to a deserted city—sit here and see its last rays fall athwart the city of the dead, the Home of the Great Silence, and in speechless awe I wonder what I can write that will convey to you what I feel.

Here is where time forgets and nods, and where the milk bottles are not put out. Here in the unknown centuries before the landing of Columbus a great city thrived; here thousands of people lived and wore out antiquity before a white man's foot ever touched America.

And I sit here and look up at the crumbling walls, look up at the deserted bee hives, and ask, "Whence came you, and whither went you?" But no answer comes back from this city unpeopled and still.

And like a pygmy I look up, wonder, and try to catch the time of what I see. I try to get back to days when civilization wore swaddling clothes in these cliff cities of the Santa Clara, and I try to see these men as they were before they turned back to dust—to see these men who lived here countless generations ago and then disappeared from the face of the earth, without having seen a white man's face.

And while I look and wonder, the sunset changes from red and gold to darkness, and this mysterious old country is hid for the night, and I think and think, of the steps of these far dim days of the past to the present time—think of the stone, the spear, the bow, the sword and the gun.

And there comes into memory these lines—

"A fire mist and a planet,
A crystal and a cell,
A jelly fish and a saurian
And caves where the cave men dwell;
Then a sense of law and duty,
And a face turned from the clod
Some call it Evolution
And others call it—God.

I met a magazine man in Santa Fe who was just back from the grand canyon. He went there to describe it, but he told me there was no such thing. And I feel as this man did—that these Cliff Dwellers of the Santa Clara are not of this world—not for an Eagle lead pencil No. 2.

But to get back to it all. I will try to start you at the beginning, lead you to it—and then you guess.

I went to Espanola Monday—a little mountain town up the Rio Grande from Santa Fe—a town which now has two stores and two near-hotels, and which lives in the reputation of former greatness, of once having had thirteen saloons, a company of forest rangers and a lot of historic trouble. The town was full of people and

excitement and I couldn't make it out. As a part of the treatment I had cut out the morning newspapers since leaving Las Vegas, and the last I knew of current events was that the house was Democratic and Roosevelt a Jim Jeffries.

I went to the livery barn and told them I wanted a team, a guide and a camp outfit for the Cliff Dwellers. But there was nothing doing along these lines, and no outfits to be had. There was an Indian uprising—a genuine old rebellion against the white man's way of justice.

You who read the press dispatches on and after November 15 saw the meagre details of the troubles here: you who did not may call this another of Brown's bromides and forget it.

Just what the issues are is difficult to get the straight of, but as I grasp it the government at Washington leases range to the Mexicans, and the few white men who have reasons of their own for living here. But water is as scarce as society and cattle must drink. So the cattle were driven onto the reservation for water and the Pueblos had it figured out that they wouldn't longer make a Coney Island of the Santa Clara River, and as fast as cattle were driven on, they rounded them up. The consequence was the cowboy and the gun. The Indians were armed with Winchester and civilization and this with possession made a bad game to go up against. Well, there was a few days of nervousness and dispatches to Washington and then the driver and I thought we would take a chance.

Wednesday morning we started. One of the men in the mercantile company in Espanola, who I had struck up a talk of friendship with, stopped our rig, and warned us not to tote a gun or carry booze. There were three of us in the rig—myself, the driver, and an old man who claimed to be manager of a grant, which Pennsylvania politicians had claim to. We assured them there was nothing in our outfit but was a mothers' meeting would sanction, and we "dragged it."

A half dozen miles out we were held up—held up by a lone mountain Indian police—but he had a Winchester, and he looked game.

He went through our baggage and searched our clothes. I don't know where he got his authority to do custom duty, but I didn't question, and I have been unable to learn since. I had a suit case. He took it out of the rig, opened it, shook out the trousers and the underwear, and went through the corners of the grip. Then he turned up the buggy seats and shook our robes. After which he evidently thought we were eligible to visit an Indian reservation that has 30,000 acres and about thirty people.

But Lo lost out in the discard—as he always loses when he goes up against the white man's game.

When we stopped for lunch at noon, the ranchman untied the bag of oats and brought out a quart bot-

tle of "Cedar Brook bourbon, brewed in Kentucky, by gosh"—at least I took his word for it.

I learned afterward that the smuggle was dangerous, and that had a bottle or gun been found we would have been waiters until a next federal court—and they come about once a year.

There's as much tape connected with getting through to the Puye Cliff Ruins as there is seeing your home Congressman at Washington during the session. Next came the station of the Indian farmer, the man who possesses something that sounds like a civil service, and who lives out in this desolation and a tent. He gets \$60 per, a horse and a tent and is supposed to teach the untutored red man to make bricks without straw—teach him to farm a mesa where frijole beans wither up and die like geraniums would in the Sahara desert.

And there are no Indians to teach. Hundreds of years ago the Indians learned what the powers at Washington have not yet learned, that crops can't be raised without moisture, and these thousands of acres of reservation are no more to them than hunting grounds, and when they farm they go back to their Pueblo grants along the streams, and leave the reservation messes for white men to make political jobs of.

I started this letter with the Cliff Dwellers, but I have not written a word. But I will. Of all the wonderful and interesting spots I ever visited this dead and forgotten city of the past, these honey-combed ruins of the Puye are the most wonderful, and I can hardly wait until morning shall come, that I may climb the cliffs into these hundreds of rooms, and see the ruins of a people—and a past that we know nothing of—of a great city that simply has passed away and left no history of its passing.

The driver says the supper is ready, and then we will roll up and wait for morning and if I sleep at all—with these great white cliffs staring down at me in the beautiful moonlight—I will probably dream of some midget of a man who, probably thousands of years ago, stood where I am, looked up at the hanging lights on the cliffs, and then squirrel-footed it up to his own little home hole.

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Personal Property Taxation
Personal property valued at the immense total of \$1,184,298,749.16 has been returned as subject to taxation in Pennsylvania for 1910, according to a report prepared by Auditor General Sisson. This yields the state in taxes \$4,739,194.

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STATE POPULATION 7,655,111

Pennsylvania as a Whole Gains 1,362,996 in Ten Years.

According to figures given out by the census bureau at Washington, D. C., both Pennsylvania and West Virginia indicate a more rapid increase in population between 1900 and 1910 than were shown in the previous decade. West Virginia increased more than 27 per cent. and Pennsylvania with 7,655,111, almost 22 per cent.

These increases are accepted by the census bureau as another indication that the cities and the industrial centers generally are increasing at the expense of the agricultural regions. Of the 67 counties in Pennsylvania, 19, or more than one-fifth, show a falling off, while five counties showed an increase of less than 2,000 each. In almost every instance the decrease was in an agricultural county. Some even show a decrease as compared with 1890.

Counties that have lost in population are Adams, Bedford, Bradford, Crawford, Forest, Fulton, Juniata, McKean, Montour, Perry, Pike, Potter, Wyoming, Snyder, Sullivan, Susquehanna, Tioga, Union and Wayne. Cameron, Centre, Greene, Monroe and Warren showed gains of fewer than 2,000.

The population of Pennsylvania, 7,655,111, is an increase of 1,362,996, or 21.6 per cent. over 6,302,115 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 1,044,101, or 19.9 per cent.

Under the present basis of apportionment Pennsylvania would obtain seven additional Congressmen, and West Virginia one, with a large fraction left over. The apportionment will probably be increased.

By counties Pennsylvania's population is as follows:

County.	Population.
Adams	34,819
Allegheny	1,018,463
Armstrong	67,880
Beaver	78,353
Bedford	38,879
Berks	183,222
Blair	108,858
Bradford	54,526
Bucks	76,530
Butler	72,589
Cambria	166,131
Cameron	7,644
Carbon	52,846
Centre	43,424
Chester	109,213
Clarion	36,638
Clearfield	93,763
Clinton	31,545
Columbia	48,467
Crawford	61,565
Cumberland	54,479
Dauphin	136,152
Delaware	117,906
Elk	35,871
Erie	115,517
Fayette	167,449
Forest	9,435
Franklin	59,775
Fulton	9,703
Greene	28,882
Huntingdon	38,304
Indiana	66,210
Jefferson	68,090
Juniata	15,013
Lackawanna	259,570
Lancaster	167,029
Lawrence	70,032
Lebanon	59,565
Lehigh	118,823
Luzerne	342,186
Lycoming	80,813
McKean	47,868
Mercer	77,699
Mifflin	27,785
Monroe	22,941
Montgomery	169,590
Montour	14,863
Northampton	127,667
Northumberland	111,420
Perry	24,136
Philadelphia	1,549,008
Pike	8,033
Potter	29,729
Schuylkill	207,894
Snyder	16,800
Somerset	67,717
Sullivan	11,293
Susquehanna	37,746
Tioga	42,329
Union	16,249
Venango	56,359
Warren	39,573
Washington	148,630
Westmoreland	231,304
Wyoming	15,509
York	136,405
Total	7,655,111

The population of West Virginia is 1,221,119, an increase of 262,319, or 27.4 per cent. over 958,800 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 196,006 or 25.7 per cent.

According to the decennial census figures announced last week, under the apportionment ratio four counties of the state will gain one member each in the State House of Representatives, Allegheny's delegation will be swelled from 24 to 26 legislators, and 11 counties, including Philadelphia, will lose one representative each. This would decrease the total number of representatives from 207 to 202.

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5.00	9.20	Mt. Dallas	9.20	7.20	
5.03	9.23	Everett	9.14	7.16	
5.10	9.30	Tatesville	9.05	7.07	
5.20	9.39	Cypher	8.56	6.57	
5.30	9.49	Hopewell	8.47	6.48	
5.35	9.54	Riddlesburg	8.42	6.44	
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Have you noticed that the official plurality given Governor Harmon by his fellow citizens of Ohio was slightly over 100,000?

In the new Democratic House of Representatives there will be just three survivors of the last Democratic House, which was elected in 1892. The men are Champ Clark of Missouri, J. F. C. Talbot of Maryland and W. A. Jones of Virginia.

The prophets continue to predict the speedy emergence of China from her present state of physical feebleness. By 1920, they tell us, she will be a world power of immense importance.

The next Legislature will have some important matters up for consideration, among them the new school code. It has been printed and distributed among those who are supposed to be chiefly interested and by the time the legislative session begins the members ought to be well posted concerning its merits or demerits.

An agent of the state Dairy and Food Bureau has seized 90,000 eggs in Pittsburgh and arrested Ray F. Riddell, a produce broker of that city, on charge of violating the act of assembly prohibiting the sale of eggs that are decomposed and unfit for food.

Of the 87 arrests made by the state police during the hunting season there were 86 convictions. Two of the arrests were made of men who hunted with ferrets, and 71 of foreigners who carried firearms. One arrest was for illegal possession of game and two for destroying birds' nests, three for shooting game out of season and two for shooting insectivorous birds. Five of the arrests were for hunting deer with dogs and one for hunting without a license. The arrests were in Cumberland, Schuylkill, Pike, Wayne, Washington, Luzerne, Lackawanna, Lehigh, Jefferson, Cameron, Chester and Cambria Counties.

Mrs. Goldstein, wife of a wealthy junk dealer of Denver, is probably the only woman in the United States who has gone on record as never having owned a hat. This was her testimony in a suit for separate maintenance. Attorneys for the husband declared this was due to Mrs. Goldstein's religious belief, but the woman herself said it was because her husband would not spend the money, although she declares he is worth in the neighborhood of \$150,000 and has an income of \$10,000 a year.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Why We Advertised

A prominent business man of Michigan explains why he advertises and why he uses newspapers for that purpose as follows:

"I advertise in the newspapers because I am not ashamed of my goods or my work, and to let people know about myself, my store and my stock; because I cater to the intelligent class and they read the papers, and I believe in increasing my business; because I can talk to more people through the newspapers, at a greater distance, in less time and at a more reasonable price than in any other way; because my newspaper advertising has brought me greater returns for the least expenditure of any advertising I have done; because when I write an advertisement I am not too stingy to pay for placing it in the best possible medium or to have it inserted so that it is attractive; because I know my advertisement is seen and read by everyone in the house where the paper goes."

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

A Stirring Life History

By far the most interesting story of hunting experiences that has ever been published by the sportsman press is Tredway Elliott's Back to the Old Trails, now running serially in Sports Afield. A continuation of the same author's Fifty Years of Woods Life, it is an absorbingly interesting narrative of American sport and adventure. In addition to this feature, the December Sports Afield is full of good things—such as Christmas at Indian Gulch, Duck Shooting on the Old Illinois, An Arizona Camping Trip, Deer Shooting in the Santa Rosa Mountains, Woodcock Shooting in Michigan, and Goose Shooting on the Atlantic Coast. An Old Mormon Fort and Its Memories, The Nortorian Dales, and Our Christmas Dinner at Palo Verde are also excellent sketches. Your news dealer can supply you; if not, send 15 cents to Sports Afield, 358 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.

JOTTINGS OF FASHION.

A Fetching New Tie—The Smart Satin Cloth For Tailor Makers.

A fetching new tie that gives a touch of color to a dark costume is made from bias or velvet formed into inch wide folds. These are ended with bunches of tiny flowers and leaves, while a similar bunch holds the leaves together in front.

There is a new cloth satin or satin cloth already running a feverish heat.



THE NEW TAILORED SHIRT WAIST.

These are a vast improvement on the ordinary silk back wet looking satin which first broke the ground in the tailoring world, and these new ones are called 'satine future,' which is a rough finished cloth; satine japais is smoother. This refers to the woolen side.

The shirt waist that is cut in one with the sleeves is a new and smart one that is greatly liked. This model includes tucks over the shoulders that provide becoming fullness. It can be made with or without the patch pocket. As illustrated it is finished with a neckband, but it can be made with a rolled over collar and elbow sleeves.

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GATHERED HERE AND THERE.

Wide Braids Trims Many of the Smartest Tailored Suits.

Wide braid, ten inches or more in plain weaves or in fancy radium patterns, is modish used on cloth suits.

With the Paisley craze has come the Paisley bead embroidery. Beads in Paisley colors and worked into famil-



A PRETTY FROCK OF STRIPED MATERIAL.

far designs are to be seen on collars, cuffs and turn backed lapels of dark tailored suits.

The general effect desired in suits this season is that of slimmness with short and rather narrow skirts.

Bordered bows is what one milliner calls the immense bows worn on many of the new hats, usually of white outlined with black. The bows themselves are frequently of lace or net edged with a narrow piping of satin.

Fur coats are seen in both long and pocket lengths; also sets of fur and velvet and fur and chiffon.

Striped materials are being much used for girls' dresses this season. The model is an attractive one carried out in a striped fabric with the bolero effect in touched silk in matching color and the yoke of embroidered net.

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HOLIDAY STORE NEWS FROM HOFFMAN'S Metropolitan Clothing and Shoe House, Bedford

Our Christmas Present to our many friends and customers shall be a **Holiday Price-Reduction** on every piece of goods in our store. So here we start. We advise early shopping for the **best bargains**.

Men's and Young men's Suits and Overcoats, reduced from \$15.00 to \$11.50.

Boys' Suits and Overcoats, reduced from \$5.00 to \$3.75.

Women's Tailor-Made Suits, reduced from \$25.00 to \$18.50.

Women's Fine Long Coats, in black and gray, reduced from \$15.00 to \$11.50.

Women's \$15 Tailor-Made Suits, reduced to \$11.50.

Women's \$12.50 Coats, reduced to \$7.75.

Men's and Young Men's \$6 English Rubber Slip-Ons, reduced to \$4.75.

Men's \$22.00 Suits, reduced to \$16.75.

Men's \$21.00 Overcoats, also Rain Coats, reduced to \$16.00.

Men's and Young Men's \$12.50 Suits and Overcoats, reduced to \$9.00.

Men's and Boys' \$1.00 Sweaters, reduced to 65c.

Men's and Boys' 50c Sweaters, reduced to 40c.

Gloves, Shirts, Hosiery, Mufflers, Shoes, Ties, Hand Bags, Suit Cases, Suspenders, Hats and Caps, Collars and Cuffs, Men's, Women's and Children's Sweaters, Furs for Women and Children, at **cut prices** during this month.

Don't put off buying to the last day--come early and get the benefit of our large stock. Extra salespeople to wait on you promptly.

HOFFMAN'S, BEDFORD, PA.

Barnett's Store

THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Xmas Handkerchiefs

The finest lot of good handkerchiefs ever brought to Bedford. Almost everything manufactured in this line from 1c to 50c.

Lace trimmed, embroidered and hemstitched, beautiful fast-color printed borders, for men and women.

The prettiest kerchiefs for 5c you ever saw.

At 25c each, the assortment is superb. Please come in and look through the line.

Handsome Initial Handkerchiefs, good quality linen, at 10 and 15c.

A Magnificent Line of China, Cut Glass and Silver Novelties for Xmas

We will receive in a day or two one of the greatest assortments of fine China and China Novelties ever brought to Bedford. It will be a treat for you to come and look the line over. Many new things, just out for this season, are in the lot. Special attention has been given to the selection of handsome and exclusive articles to sell at 25c, 50c and \$1. Much of this assortment contains but one piece of a kind, so come soon to get the pick of the lot for your Christmas presents.

Lot of new things have come to this store during the last week. Another handsome lot of dress goods and trimmings; new models in ladies coats--don't fail to see them. Also new Prunes, Citron, Raisins, Currants, Figs, Dates, Almonds, Walnuts, Peaches, Apricots, the famous Premier Brand Canned Corn, Tomatoes and Peas. All the above food products are the finest we can secure. Come here for the best.

Reed's Shoes For Women

No better made; service satisfactory; fit perfect. We are now showing new stock of these elegant shoes in colt, gun metal and glazed kid; \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.

We have also received this week our Fall and Winter stock of Heywood Shoes for men. Handsome, dressy; any weight sole or leather you want; \$3.75, \$4 and \$5.

Some Seasonable Merchandise at Special Prices

Outing Flannel Night Gowns.

Gloves and Mitts.

Underwear--Almost every weave,

Steel Cut Butcher Pepper, you will take no other when you see this.

25 and 50 lb. Lard Cans.

Bbl. Fancy Preimer New Orleans Molasses.

10 lb. sacks new Corn Meal and Buckwheat Flour.

Felt Boots--Banigan and Ball Band Overs.

Blankets--Splendid values in Cotten and Wool--extra large size at \$1. Some as low as 50c a pair.

Women's Home-Made Calfskin Shoes, soft and pliable, waterproof, \$1.75.

Another lot of those good Shoes at \$1.48 for men.

Grey Wool Coat Sweaters--special \$1.



If You are out of Writing Paper

we respectfully suggest that you purchase a box of

Highland Linen

This is a writing paper that is at once distinctive and distinguished and offers you, at a popular price, exceptional quality and the fabric finish that has found favor with fashionable people everywhere.

We sell Highland Linen at 25c per box.

Stoves Stoves

Headquarters for all the Good Stoves

Single Heaters,
Double Heaters,
Cook Stoves
and Ranges.

Not the kind you find at other stores, but the kind that not only pleases, also gives the heat and cleanliness that the wife wants. See our line. Over 100 to select from.

METZGER'S

J. REED IRVINE
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Life, Fire, Accident and Health Insurance

Why not get the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company's proposition at your age? We have no fear of comparison. "It's the Policy Holder's Company."

NOTICE

The regular annual meeting of directors and members of the Bedford Urban Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at their office, 106 1/2 S. Juliana St., Bedford, Pa., Wednesday, January 4, 1911, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

Fancy Goods of all kinds for Christmas presents at Mrs. Ella Gilchrist's.

Wanted, For Sale, For Rent, Etc.,

RATES--One cent per word for each insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 15 cents.

For Sale--One cow cheap. A. J. Otto, Bedford.

If you have apples to sell write, phone or call on Corle H. Smith.

For Sale--One small Steam Boiler feed-pump. H. H. Lysinger.

For fresh butter, eggs and poultry go to the Farmers' Exchange. D9-2t

Wanted--Two lady boarders institute week, at 225 South Richard St.

Dr. Gump wants to employ a good, reliable young man to work for him.

For Sale--Oak dresser and wash stand. Price eight dollars. 308 E. Penn Street.

Boarders Wanted--The house of Sol. C. Ritchey on South Juliana Street is open for institute boarders.

Institute Boarders Wanted--First-class accommodations; rates reasonable. Address 331 E. Penn Street, Bedford.

At the Drug Store of Ed. D. Heckerman you can get a pound of absolutely pure and first quality Ground Pepper for 15 cents.

For Rent--All year, summer and winter, the Mowry dwelling, opposite the Bedford House. Eight rooms, new bath. Apply E. M. Pennell, Esq.

Farm For Sale--Three miles north of Rainsburg in Colerain Township. Good stock and fruit farm; running water in nearly every field; limestone land; Hematite iron ore; 210 acres in one body; 75 acres mountain land. A. Weisel, Bedford, Pa.

For Sale or Rent--Two lots with dwelling house, stable, blacksmith shop and other necessary outbuildings; a fine location for blacksmith. Terms reasonable. Apply to Annie C. Mowery, New Buena Vista, Pa.

Auction! Auction!

The executors of A. E. Fyan, deceased, will sell at auction on Saturday, December 10, 1910, all the groceries, confections, notions, crockery and China in the store on East Pitt Street, Bedford, Pa. Sale to begin at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and at 7 in the evening, and to continue each evening the following week until all goods are sold.

The Gazette is the leader in circulation, advertising and job work.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE

[Estate of Charles L. Colvin, late of Schellsburg Borough, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.] Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

CLARA J. COLVIN, Administratrix, Schellsburg, Pa.
FRANK E. COLVIN, Atty., Bedford, Pa. Dec. 9-6w.

Ladies' and Children's Phoenix Mufflers, Kid Gloves, English Walking Gloves, Mocha Gloves, Children's Legginettes at Mrs. Ella Gilchrist's.

Sale Register

All persons having sale bills printed at this office get a free notice in the sale register. This is worth several times the price of the bills.

Thursday, December 15, at 1 o'clock p. m., Albert Holderbaum will sell at his residence, two miles north of Bedford, three cows, one fresh; three Jersey heifers, 125 extra stock ewes.

Saturday, December 17, at 1 p. m., Mrs. Joseph Diehl will sell at her residence on Spring Street, near the Boydstown school house, rubber-tired runabout, robe, horse blanket, set buggy harness, range, cooking utensils, kitchen cabinet, sewing machine, oil stove, chairs, tables, rockers, carpets, mattresses, canned fruit, jellies, cabbage, potatoes, apples, and many other articles.

Thursday, December 22, at 10 a. m., at the farm of Charles L. Colvin, deceased, near Hughes distillery, Napier Township, Clara J. Colvin, administratrix, will sell two horses, bay mare, two yearling colts, spring colt, bull, 7 cows, 7 2-year-old cattle, 3 yearling cattle, 7 calves, 10 sheep, 3 brood sows, 13 shoats, binder, hay rake, grain drill, fanning mill, bob sled, wagons, hay fork and ropes, plows, harrows, cultivators, mowing machine, corn planter, harness, gears, hay and straw by the ton, wheat, corn and oats by the bushel, and many other articles.

Wednesday, December 28, at 1 o'clock at her residence, one mile north of Charlesville, Mollie Diehl will sell two milk cows, driving horse, auto seat buggy, set single harness, saddle and bridle, Harpoon hay fork, ropes and pulleys, plow, harrow, shovel plow, double and single trees and other farming utensils; kettles, meat benches, four stoves, chairs, tables, bedsteads, flour chest, ice cream freezer, and many other articles.

AUCTIONEER

Earl Huzzard, Bedford, Pa., will call sales and auctions at reasonable prices. Write for dates.